

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

Martell B. Bland,

Plaintiff

v.

Core Civic Inc., et al.,

Defendants

Case No.: 2:22-cv-00886-JAD-DJA

Order re: Report and Recommendation

[ECF No. 5]

Plaintiff Martell B. Bland claims that he suffered civil-rights violations while detained at the Nevada Southern Detention Center. The magistrate judge denied Bland's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* because Bland failed to include a copy of his inmate account statement as required, and Bland was ordered to file a new, complete application by July 29, 2022, or face dismissal.¹ The court did not receive a new application from Bland, so the magistrate judge now recommends that this case be dismissed without prejudice.² Bland objects to that recommendation, explaining that he "sent in the required documents on or about 6/16/2022," but he was never told whether the court received them.³ It didn't.

The court accepts Bland's representations at face value and will give him one more opportunity to submit a complete *in forma pauperis* application. He must do so by January 6, 2023. His original application (the only one that this court has received from him in this case)⁴ was denied as incomplete because it did not include a copy of his inmate account statement.⁵

¹ ECF No. 4.

² ECF No. 5.

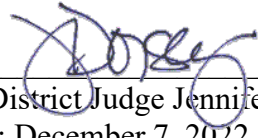
³ ECF No. 6.

⁴ ECF No. 1.

⁵ ECF No. 4.

1 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation [ECF No. 5] is
2 **REJECTED** and Bland's objection [ECF No. 6] is **SUSTAINED**.

3 **The Clerk of Court is directed to SEND** the plaintiff an *in forma pauperis* application
4 for prisoners and filing instructions, along with a copy of his complaint and this order. **Plaintiff**
5 **has until January 6, 2023, to file a new and complete *in forma pauperis* application.** If he
6 fails to do so by that date, this action will be dismissed without prejudice and without further
7 prior warning. Plaintiff is further advised that this court does not respond to letters requesting
8 status, and no summonses will be issued in this case until the court orders the Clerk of Court to
9 issue summonses.

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12 U.S. District Judge Jennifer A. Dorsey
13 Dated: December 7, 2022
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